AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0051] with the following:

-- A typical arrangement of circuits for an OSC transmitter 50 (as the one included in transceiver 12

of the terminal) is shown on FIG. 4. It includes a code generator 52 receiving the connection code

to be sent to the portable device, and a spread spectrum generator [[4]]54. Both signals are

combined in a multiplier 56, which controls a modulator 58 driving an HF generator 60. The

modulated HF signal is applied to a body coupler 62 for transmission to the portable device through

the body mass of the individual. --

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